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July 28, 2008

VIA REGULAR MAIL

Lynne Pirie, D.O.
North Phoenix Health Institute
711 E. Carefree Hwy Ste. 208
Phoenix AZ 85085

RE: Letter of Concern, Case No. 3985

Dear Dr. Pirie,

At their meeting on July 26, 2008, the Arizona Board of Osteopathic Examiners in Medicine and Surgery ("Board") conducted a case review with you present concerning the above-referenced complaint. Based on the information presented, the Board found there was insufficient evidence to conclude that your conduct constituted unprofessional conduct or to support direct action against your license. However, the Board voted to issue you this advisory LETTER OF CONCERN pursuant to the provisions of A.R.S. 32-1855 (D) (2). The Board was concerned that you failed to provide medical records in a timely fashion which could ultimately lead to violation of A.R.S. § 32-1854 (35) to wit A.R.S. 12-2294 (B) which state:

A.R.S. §32-1854 (35) Violating a federal law, a state law or a rule applicable to the practice of medicine.

A.R.S. 12-2294 (B) A health care provider may disclose medical records or payment records, or the information contained in medical records or payment records, pursuant to written authorization signed by the patient or the patient's health care decision maker.

The Letter of Concern is a non-disciplinary action that remains part of the public record of your license for five years from the date of issuance. During those years it will be provided in response to requests for copies of your license file or verifications of license status, including being posted on the Board's website. It also may be cited in future actions against your license. Because it is not a disciplinary action, it is not reported to the National Practitioner Data Base or Health Care Integrity and Protection Databank. Based on the information presented, the Board found that there were no violations of state law or rule directly related to the complaint.

Please contact me with any questions, comments or concerns. Thank you.

Respectfully,

Barbara Meyers
Deputy Director

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